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CLINTONVILLE ITEMS.

Services at the Clintonville Christian church Christmas day by Elder Sanders as follows: 11 a. m., subject, "What the Wise Men Did;" 7 p. m., "What the Wise Men Did." Bible school at 10 a. m., prayer and song service at 6:30 p. m. There will be a Christmas tree Saturday at 6:30 p. m. All the children of the neighborhood are invited. Bring a present for your friends.

Ask for Old John Poindexter Whisky. None better. 4t

Buggies at Low Prices. For the next thirty days we will sell any buggy in our house at ten per cent off for cash. Come and look them over.

16 tf YERKES & KENNEY.

Real Bargains!

I have to offer you at bargain prices one of the nicest lines of

FRUITS, CANDIES,
NUTS, FIREWORKS

Ever brought to Paris. Come and see for yourself. We will be glad to show you.

PHONE 179.

Logan Howard.

Your Christmas Money Goes Fartherest at
The "ROBNEEL,"

A Few Suggestions:

Dressed Turkeys, Chickens and Ducks.

Country Ham, Fresh Pork,

Fish and Oysters,

Celery, Cranberries, Lettuce, Parsley,

Dried Figs, Peaches, Apricots, Prunes, Apples,

Grape Fruit, Oranges, Lemons, Bananas, Apples, Malaga

and Catawba Grapes, Candy and Nuts,

Bulk Mince Meat and Plum Pudding.

Sole Agent for Stone's Cakes and Pies.

The Grocery Store of Quality.
T. C. LENIHAN, Prop.

Special Prices on Suits and Overcoats for Men and Boys. Are Useful Xmas Presents.

Silk Neckwear 25c, 50c and \$1.

Silk Handkerchiefs, plain or initial, 25c, 50

75c, \$1.

Silk Suspenders in nice boxes, 75c, \$1, \$1.50.

Silk Sox, 50c and \$1, all colors.

Combination set of Tie and Sox to match, 50c, 75c and \$1.

Combination set of Suspenders, Arm Bands and Garters, 50c and \$1.

Linen Handkerchiefs 5c, 10c, 15c, 25c and 50c.

White Initial Handkerchiefs, 6 in a box for 50c.

White Initial Handkerchiefs, 6 in a box \$1.50.

Gloves of all kinds—Kid, Moca Silk Lined, Furs, Work, Golf, for Men and Boys, 25c to \$5.00.

Fur Caps at \$1. \$2.50, \$3 and \$4.

Fur Caps at 50c and \$1.

Men and Boy's Hats from \$1 to \$5.

Umbrellas \$1, \$1.50, \$2, \$2.50 and \$3.

Boys' and Girl's Umbrellas 50c and 75c.

Underwear of all kinds.

Shirts, special patterns, 50c \$1 and \$1.50.

Mufflers of all kinds.

Suit Cases from \$1.25 to \$7.50.

Come Early and Get Your Pick—Will Lay Them Aside.

PRICE & CO. Clothiers.

The Winter Solstice.
Wednesday was the shortest day in the year. The sun in its apparent journey South reached the tropic of Capricorn, the extreme Southern limit, and as he began his Northern journey the days grow longer.

HOUSE OF QUALITY:
Try "The House of Quality" for Christmas in jewelry.
9-tf SHIRE & FITHIAN.

Slumber Chairs.
Do you know that lazy husband yours would like to have one of those street slumber chairs Christmas. J. T. Hinton sells them.

Slippers for Gifts.
Ladies' felt Juliets and men's cozy house slippers—full line to select from, make elegant Christmas presents.

16 2t GEO. McWILLIAMS,

Rockefeller Contributes Ten Million.

It has been announced that John D. Rockefeller has made his final gift to Chicago University with a contribution of ten million dollars, to be paid in ten annual installments, beginning January 1. This sum makes a total of approximately thirty-five million dollars that Mr. Rockefeller has given to the institution. Mr. Rockefeller says he believes the school should be supported and enlarged by the gifts of many rather than a single donor. His representatives on the board of trustees have resigned.

Comforts.
Go to J. T. Hinton's for your comforts. Biggest line and lowest prices.

None Finer or Better.
For a nice box of candy see
T. LENIHAN.

Exercises at Public School.
An interesting program, appropriate to the season, will be reenacted at the Public School auditorium this morning beginning at 10:15 o'clock. The patrons and the public are cordially invited to be present.

PROGRAM:
Music—High School Orchestra.

Chorus—Holy Night—by the High School.

Devotional Exercises—Elder Carey E. Morgan.

Piano Solo—"Rustle of Spring"—Sunding—John Price.

Christmas Riddle—Six Pupils of I-B Grade.

Song—"Santa Claus is Coming" First Grade.

Recitation—Elizabeth Wheeler, Grade II-A.

Recitation—Christmas Gleanings—Seven pupils of Grade II-A.

Song—"Christmas" —Pupils of Second Grade.

How We Celebrate Christmas—Four Girls of Grade II-B.

A visit from Mr. and Mrs. Santa Claus—Third Grade.

Song—"December" —Pupils of Third Grade.

Recitation—"If I were Santa Claus" Gray Elrod, Fifth Grade.

Song—"Christmas Time Has Come" —Pupils of Sixth and Seventh Grades and High School.

Recitation—A Note to Santa—Evelyn Friedman, Sixth Grade.

Recitation—A Christmas Camp on the San Gab'r-el—Margaret Douglas, Eighth Grade.

Song—"Christmas Story" —Jerome Chapman, Eighth Grade.

Original Essay—"A Sane Celebration of Christmas" —Margaret Buchanan, Seniors.

This program, animated by the Christmas spirit, will be worth hearing. Let the people encourage the children by being present.

Holly Decorations.

We have a nice lot of loose holly and beautiful holly wreaths for Christmas decorations. Phone us your order.

20 2t LOGAN HOWARD.

A Nice Christmas Dinner.

Dressed turkeys, dressed chickens, and dressed ducks, oysters, celery; everything to make a nice Christmas dinner.

T. LENIHAN.

Dressed Dolls.
Fine dolls, toys and novelties for Christmas.

13 4t MISS JESSIE BROWN.

Four Men Acquitted.

Not guilty was the verdict returned Wednesday by the jury in the so-called night riders' trial in which Roy Merrick, "Spunk" Creekmur, Frank Murphy and Vilas Mitchell were charged with the murder of Axiem Cooper last summer on trial at Eddyville.

The jury was given the case Tuesday and reported Wednesday morning that it could not agree. It was returned to the jury room and shortly reappeared with a verdict acquitting the accused.

Turkeys, Ducks and Chickens.

Get your order in early for turkeys, ducks and chickens.

20 2t C. P. COOK & CO.

OPEN AT NIGHT.

My store will be open at night until after the holidays.

J. T. HINTON.

WHAT SHALL I GIVE HIM FOR CHRISTMAS

Is rather a perplexing question with you now—but we can make the selection an easy task for you. Man or boy will appreciate any of the following:

Men's Overcoats,

Men's Suits,

Silk Neckwear,

Handkerchiefs,

Fur Gloves,

Underwear,

Negligee Shirts,

Sweaters,

Silk Hose,

Boy's Overcoats,

Boy's Suits,

Umbrellas,

Traveling Sets,

Silk Suspenders,

Mufflers,

Shoes,

Smoking Jackets,

Bath Robes.

Manish Kid Gloves and Silk Stockings for Ladies.

Our Holiday stock is now at its very best, awaiting for you to come in and select the articles you desire to give as Christmas gifts.

Prices Extremely Reasonable.

You will agree with us that they are when you see what beautiful wearing apparel you can get for Men and Boys.

Mitchell & Blakemore, Paris, Kentucky.

Outfitters-to-Men.

"WE KNOW HOW."

FRANK & CO.

The Ladies' Store.

Toys and Dolls

Our Store
Is Santa Claus Headquarters.
Christmas Gifts for All Ages.

Come In and Take a Look.

Big Reductions on All Ready-to-Wear Garments for Ladies', Misses' and Children.

Suits for Ladies' and Misses.

Ladies' Cloaks of All Kinds.

Special Prices on All Separate Skirts.

Children's Coats.

Furs, Muffs and Scarfs.

A Big Stock From Which You Can Make a Pleasing Selection.

FRANK & CO.

Mary Nichols

Wins—No. 64

There may be those who think they have a peculiar foot, demanding a custom-made shoe. The illusion is banished to the

Nettleton Shoe,

which is so constructed and in such variation of sizes that any foot can be fitted.

Geo. M cWilliams,
The Shoe Man.**Take a Tumble**

To the fact that cheapness alone is not economy. You can pay too little as well as too much for gasoline engines. You don't do either here. We handle only merchandise of reliable quality and sell it at prices which comparison will show are as low as such machinery can be bought for anywhere and lower than most other places charge for the same grade.

YERKES & KENNEY
Paris, Kentucky**For Your Christmas**

dinner, you find lots of good things on our shelves to make merry with for the holiday season. We will have high-grade mince meat for your pies, the finest quality plum pudding, just like home-made, new Leg-horn citron, fancy dates, cocoanut macaroons, coffee, highest grade table butter, Queen olives and everything in staple goods.

BALDWIN BROS.

Two Big Stores, Corner Seventh and Main and South Main.

THE LOCKS

That "do not a prison make" are not the kind we keep. Our locks, bolts, etc., are the kind that stay locked and bolted. They are not toys, but are strong and adequate for the protection they are intended to assure. Come and get the real kind. Our prices are moderate.

LOWRY & TALBOTT
Paris, Kentucky**Bourbon Laundry**

DAVIS & FUNK, Props.

Telephone No. 4.

A Particular Service For Particular People.

They are pleased with our laundry work—the rest of course. Systematic, thorough painstaking work enables us to get your laundry out the day we promise it, and its quality is guaranteed. Give us a trial order. You'll not regret it.

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Paris, Kentucky.**THE BOURBON NEWS.**

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ONE YEAR, \$2.00 | SIX MONTHS \$1.00
..... PAYABLE IN ADVANCE.....**Jesse James' Kentucky Double.**

There is hardly a school boy in Kentucky who is not familiar with the history of the exploits of the James brothers who for years terrorized various sections of the United States by robbing mail trains, banks and citizens. Associated with them were the Younger brothers—Cole, Bob and Jim Younger—who were finally convicted and given long terms in the penitentiary at Stillwater, Minnesota.

But that Jesse James had a double who lives, moves and has his being in Allen county, and whose resemblance to the Missouri bandit was so striking that he was once convicted and sentenced to a prison term for a crime, committed by him is not so well known, but it is true nevertheless. The recent publication regarding the effort to be made to induce the Federal Government to make of the Mammoth Cave a National Park, recalled the story to an old timer, who recited it in the following language:

"The James boys were often in Logan county after the close of the Civil War and had a rendezvous on Red river, near the town of Adairville. Travel to Mammoth Cave was then entirely overland from Cave City, and so heavy was the traffic and constant the visitors that Mr. McCoy, proprietor of the Mammoth Cave stage, made an immense fortune out of the traffic.

"One of his most trusted helpers and lieutenants was P. W. Depp, who for the past dozen years has been chief engineer of the Kentucky Branch penitentiary at Eddyville. On one occasion Mr. Depp turned over to his chief \$1,600 as the result of one day's travel to and from the cave. Some years ago Mr. Depp completed a perfect facsimile of the old stage coach which figures in the famous robbery. It was a miniature coach, and was placed on exhibition at the World's Fair at St. Louis.

"The bandits evidently learned of the rich pickings to be secured by robbing the Mammoth Cave stage and planned a raid.

"On the morning of the robbery the stage left Cave City with only four passengers, Judge Roundtree and daughter, of Mt. Sterling, Ky., and two Southerners—one from Tennessee and the other a citizen of Alabama.

Considerable booty was taken from the victims, among other valuables a gold watch belonging to Judge Roundtree and a diamond ring belonging to his daughter.

"The robbers made good their escape and for several days no arrests were made. George Hunt, then a celebrated local detective at Bardstown, arrested a man whose name was Thomas Hunt and whose birthplace has been credited to Simpson county, on a charge of being implicated in the robbery. Hunt was carried to Glasgow, as the robbery was committed before the stage crossed the Barren county line, and lodged in jail. Considerable trouble was experienced in getting the victims of the robbers to Glasgow to testify, as the Kentucky law at that time made provisions for the payment of mileage for witnesses from a distance.

"The two Southerners had already lost heavily by the robbery and declined to return to Kentucky at their own expense to testify against the accused.

The Kentucky Legislature assembled while Hunt was in jail awaiting trial, and the law now on the statute books allowing mileage to witnesses is directly traceable to the robbery of the Mammoth Cave stage. At last all four of the witnesses appeared in court, and Hunt was placed on trial. Three of the witnesses positively identified the prisoner as the man who acted as spokesman for the robbers, but Judge Roundtree was not so positive. He said: If the prisoner is the man who acted as spokesman for the bandits then my faith in my own recollection is very much shaken, though he strongly resembles the man."

Hunt refused absolutely to make any move to clear himself of the charge beyond denying any knowledge of the robbery.

"The case was given to the jury and a verdict was soon reached giving Hunt a term in the Frankfort penitentiary. Before he was transferred, however, Bob Ford shot and killed Jesse James in Kansas City, Mo., and in the vest pocket of the dead bandit was found the watch which was taken from Judge Roundtree on the morning of the robbery. A picture of Jesse James was printed in the Courier-Journal and the Mt. Sterling jurist, who never believed Hunt guilty, went to the capitol, where Governor Preston H. Leslie issued a pardon for him.

"The resemblance of the men Hunt and James was so striking and perfect that a photograph of each when closely compared would readily be taken for two pictures of the same man.

"A more striking illustration of mistaken identity was perhaps never chronicled in a court of justice, and only for the treachery of Bob Ford, Hunt would have worn the garb of a convict for a crime with which he had no connection."—Hartford, Ky., Republican.

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MR. GOSLINGTON'S ADVENTURE

**He Offers a Seat to a Lady in an Ele-
vated Car—Unexpected Outcome.**

"This," said Mr. Goslington, "I confess is rather puzzling to me, but I am inclined to think that I get left in it."

"The elevated car in which I rode home late yesterday afternoon was as usual at that hour crowded, and so as usual I hung on by a strap. But a few stations along the man in front of whom I had been standing got up and went out, leaving a vacant seat, which of course I might have taken but which I did not take, for a step or two further back in the car there was standing, holding on by a strap, a young woman talking with a young man who was standing near her, holding on by the next strap.

"What I did was to indicate to this young woman that here was a seat for her, at which she turned and stepped across the car, as I supposed, to occupy the seat that I had thus left for her. But just what she did was this:

"Sitting down on one side of this seat, she edged along a little further on that side, thus making her next neighbor there, a woman, move along a little, and thus providing half the seat vacant, and now she invited the young man with whom she had been talking to sit down beside her, which he did, all this leaving me to stand there, completely ignored, in front of them.

"Sitting down as she did she discommoded the person, the woman sitting next to her, and crowding in to sit beside her, as he had to do, the young man with her discommoded the person sitting next to him. Thus this lady would appear to have proceeded when her opportunity came with entire disregard of everybody but herself, seeking with utter selfishness solely her own comfort and pleasure, or so we might have thought, if it were possible to think ill of any woman, which I do not; but while the situation was a little puzzling, it certainly did seem as if she had sort of made a gump of me, don't you think?"—New York Sun.

The Aztec Calendar.

The Aztecs of Mexico had a calendar of their own and one copy is engraved in stone and now preserved in the National Museum of Mexico. Fifty-two years constituted a cycle with the Aztecs. Each year had 365 days. There were 18 months of 20 days each and five additional days that were considered very unlucky, and were devoted to human sacrifice. The month was divided into four weeks of five days each. The days were such names as "Rain," "Monkey" and "Small Bird," and each day of the month had a name. Whole phrases were used for the names of some months.

Much Power from Niagara.

Power generated at Niagara Falls is to be distributed all over Canada. Bids have been asked on 10,000 tons of structural steel for the Canadian government. The steel is to be used for towers which will support the cables used in transporting the current. Already power generated at Niagara is being sent to a distance of more than 12 miles, and it is the intention of the Canadian government to increase this distance, says the Scientific American. Towns in every direction about Niagara will be supplied.

Woman's Suspicious Reticence.
Are women beginning to talk less in the hope of thus better pleasing men? If so, while commanding the motive, we would unhesitatingly question the method. The mere music of their voices as contrasted with the raucous male note easily counterbalances any possible disparity in the ideas expressed. Upon all grounds we cry out for loosening of the delicate tongues now so strangely and so suspiciously stilled.

Even to China Land.

The equal-rights wave has reached the shores of China, and it is reported that a number of wives in Canton have left their husbands, saying that they will no longer be subject to them. The wives have had the worst of it, however, as the law gives power to imprison them, and they have had to suffer the consequences of their rash resolves.

Work of Zambezi Missions.
A pamphlet recently issued by Andrew Murray gives a brief survey of missions south of the Zambezi. There are 31 different missionary organizations at work, ministering to over 10,000,000 people. The student volunteer movement in South Africa has put 84 young missionaries in the field since 1896.

Thoughtful Bride.

She was quite demure, and he looked all right. They were on their honeymoon, and the train had just emerged from a long tunnel. Sitting up and arranging her front hair, she exclaimed:

"Oh, Fred, tell me! Is my mouth on straight?"

Danger in New York Roads.
There is an average of seven car collisions a day on the steam, sub-way, elevated and surface railways of New York.

Ethics of Friendship.

In the progress of each man's character, he will have learned the lesson of life who is skillful in the ethics of friendship.—Emerson.

THAT RECORD JUMP BY WASHINGTON

**Alleged Origin of Thackeray's Story
of the 22 Foot Leap.**

Three college athletes have had an ideal shattered by reading a paragraph in a speech that Sir G. Trevelyan made in London before the Publishers Circle at a recent dinner. These men, in addition to being athletes, are devoted to Thackeray and "The Virginians."

There is a reference in that book to the prowess of George Washington as an athlete, particularly as a broad jumper. This is to the effect that Washington was able to jump 22 feet, which, considering that it was away back in the eighteenth century, was some leap. Although the best American record now is 24 feet 7 1/4 inches, it has not been standing so long, and in the early days of American athletics 22 feet was a remarkable performance in the broad jump.

These three used to pride themselves on knowing about that performance credited to Washington, and they pointed out how in 1876 and for three years following the American championship was won by leaps of less than 20 feet, and that from 1880 to 1885 inclusive the champion did not do 22 feet, although close to it on several occasions.

They used always to tell folks who asked about great broad jumpers that Washington held the American record from 1752 to 1885. What shattered all this was the following from the Trevelyan speech:

"I was present at a dinner where Thackeray discoursed to a delightful audience of young people about "The Virginians," which he was then writing and which seemed to fill his mind to the exclusion of everything else. Among other matters he asked us, all around the table, what was the widest jump any of us had ever known, and when we agreed upon twenty-one feet, he said: 'Then I must make George Washington jump one foot more.'

A Little Devil in the Heart.

An insane devil lurks in the heart of even the most sainted woman. It is the little devil that makes a young wife ask her devoted husband which of the two he would save if she and her mother were drowning, writes William J. Locke in his story "Simple Septimus," in the American Magazine. It is the same little devil that is responsible for infinite mendacity on the part of men. "Have you said that to another woman?" No; of course he hadn't, and the wretch is instantly converted. "My immortal soul," says the good fellow, instantaneously converted into an atrocious liar; and the little devil cooes with satisfaction and curls himself up snugly to sleep.

Uses of Irish Peat.

Consul Henry S. Culver, of Cork, writes that the peat beds of Ireland may yet become a valuable asset in the country's industrial development other than for fuel if, as is now claimed upon the authority of an Austrian experimenter, the fibres of the remains of the reeds and grasses of which peat is composed can be utilized not only for paper-making and carpets, but for weaving the finest fabrics as well. The claim is put forth that the fibre is elastic and durable, and, being a non-conductor of heat, the cloth manufactured from it is as tough as linen and as warm as woolen.

India-Gestion.

Here is a story the bishop of London told John Morley the other day, says the Philadelphia Inquirer. They were holding an "exam" in an East-end school, and the teacher was explaining the chief products of the Indian empire. One child recited a list of cosmetines. "Please, miss, India produces curries and pepper and citron and chillies and chutney and—and—" "Yes, yes, and what comes after that?" "Please, miss, I don't remember." "Yes, but think. What is India so famous for?" "Please, 'm, India-gestion."

Hens Hatch Fish.

Chinamen have a way of tricking hens, so that they assist in the hatching of fish. Fish eggs are carefully placed in an egg shell, which is then sealed and put under an unsuspecting hen. In a few days the spawn is warmed into life and the contents of the shell are then cast into a shallow pool, where the sunshine completes the work.

Demand for Artificial Flowers.

Makers of artificial flowers in New York city are receiving an unusual number or orders from all parts of the country for the fall and winter trade. Most of the supply for the nation comes from New York, where more money is spent for the manufacture of imitation flowers than in any other city in the world.

Picking Out a Job.

"Work," observed the reflective deadbeat—"work is all right if you can get the sort to suit your individual needs. I, for instance, wouldn't object to calling out the stations on an Atlantic liner."

Spread Happiness.

Is not the first duty of those who are happy to tell of their gladness to others? All men can learn to be happy; and the teaching of it is easy.

Italian Proverb.

Little dogs start the hare, but great ones catch it.

"BUNK" OR "BUNC."

**The Former the Northern, the Latter
the Southern Spelling.**

"It never occurred to me that there could be any two ways of spelling the word 'bunk,'" said the scholarly appearing person who was studying the sporting section of the newspaper. "But I happened to pick up a Memphis newspaper the other day, and as a head to a speech made by Commissioner Loomis in Tokio recently I read: 'Loomis Hands Out the Bunc.'

"Now, without endeavoring to go into the merits of the case so put I want to say only that the headline meant that Mr. Loomis was accused of softsoaping the Japanese he addressed. The only other authority for the spelling of the word comes from the sporting cartoonists, whose work I study carefully. They are unanimous in spelling it 'bunk.'

"It appears to me that the Southern version is based on a belief that the word is a diminutive of 'bumboe.' The Northern spelling may be due to the belief that a person who may be bunked is a person of sleepy or dopy nature, who might as well be lying in a bunk, wrapped in slumber. Therefore when a person is bunked he is rendered sleepy. That is merely conjecture."

The Dust of the Earth.

Expecting a visit from the superintendent of an adjacent Sunday school one Sunday afternoon, one enterprising teacher, anticipating the line of questions which would be asked of the scholars, selected a boy from her class to answer each question. As she had figured it out, the visitor would first ask the pupils the question, "Who made you?" and the pupil was, of course, to answer "God." The next question was to be "Of what?" to which the answer was to be "Of the dust of the earth." Unfortunately between the time Sunday school was called to order and the visiting superintendent had taken the floor, the first pupil was taken sick and obliged to go home. The teacher did not have the opportunity to readjust her force, and when the first question was asked, the second boy thought it a good opportunity for him to get his answer and get it off his mind; so to the question, "Who made you?" he answered, "Of the dust of the earth."

"Oh, no," said the visitor. "God made you."

"No, sir; He did not," said the youngster. "The little boy that God made has gone home sick, and I am the dust of the earth."—Judge.

Famous Epicures.

In the ceiling of the dining room in Nero's "golden house," on the Palatine hill, were compartments inlaid with ivory which revolved, showering perfumes and flowers on the guests. Flowers were presented to the guests by slaves. They were crowned with wreaths. Usually after one course the tables were removed and others placed before the guests. Throughout the meal drinking continued until the banqueters fell under the table stupefied. In those days men lived to eat. Great generals spent fortunes accumulated in years of warfare in gratifying their appetites. Lucullus on one dinner with Cicero and Pompey spent 50,000 drachmas, or \$7,000. Pliny, who was famed for the delicacy and originality of his dinners, wrapped his tongue in linen when not using it. That he might better appreciate flavors of the viands he had it cleaned with fish skin before dining.

Time, to the Hundredth of a Second.

Of the many new devices that modern inventions has recently given to the world, perhaps there is no more ingenious contrivance than the electrical chronometer, the product of a Parisian brain, by means of which an automobile race can be timed even to the one-hundredth of a second.

One of these instruments is placed at the starting-point of the race and another at the finish, the two being connected by a charged wire. When the start has been made a current of electricity is immediately sent through the line, which defects a needle, making a dot upon a paper on a revolving drum. At the finish another dot is made upon the paper; the exact time may then be discovered by means of the scale which connects these markings.

Memory of Animals.

"The elephant's memory is proverbial," said F. Martin Duncan, F. Z. S., at the New Gallery Photographic Exhibition, "but that of other beasts of the jungle is hardly less noteworthy."

Tigers in captivity always remember a kindness and recognize a friend even after the lapse of months. Lions which have been in a zoological garden for years have also been known to show signs of abject fear when visited by native hunters from the country where they had their early home.—London Daily Mail.

Surely the Limit.

A friend was once talking with a crazy woman, when a stony man passed by. "Do you see that man?" said she, with cunning smile. "You could blow his soul through a humming-bird's bill, into a mosquito's eye, and the mosquito wouldn't wink."

Vices and Virtues.

Do not consider any vice as trivial, and therefore practice it; do not consider any virtue as unimportant, and therefore neglect it.—Bonar.

Farmer Thoughtful of Clerk.

An amusing incident occurred in a hotel a few nights ago. It appears that a farmer from South Jersey, who was unusually ignorant of city ways, went to the hotel with his son. The father retired early, but the son went out to "see the town."

At 12:30 o'clock the farmer went down stairs and inquired of the night clerk if the boy had retired yet. He was told that he had not. The father went back to his room. An hour later he again appeared before the clerk and said:

"Hain't Jack in yet?"

Again he was informed that the lad was out. The old man made several subsequent trips, and still his boy was among the missing. Finally at 3:30 o'clock the farmer trudged wearily down the stairs and asked again if his boy had returned.

"No, he's not in yet," replied the night clerk.

"Wa'al, I guess he won't come in, then. Guess you needn't wait up any longer."



Mr. Ruyter's Kramp (a poet)—When I write far into the night I find great difficulty in getting to sleep.
Miss Cutting Hintz—Why don't you get up and read what you've written?
Not That Kind of a Man.
At a banquet of the Farmers' Union at Shawnee, Okla., a satirical speech by Irwin S. Mason, of the Selasaw stock farm, was well received.

"Enough, then,"—so Mr. Mason ended—"enough of this lying talk of the farmer's meanness and hardness and narrowness—this talk that makes the farmer out to be the kind of a man who'd complain if his wife eloped in the spring with the hired man, that he wouldn't have cared so much if she had only eloped in the fall instead, so that he'd have been spared the expense of wintering her."

The New Primer.

See the young man with the happy look? He presented a pretty girl with a pound box of candy, and now he is IT.

How long will he be IT with the pretty girl?

Until another young man comes along and presents her with a two-pound box.

The Price.

Client—This bill of yours is exorbitant. There are several items in it that I don't understand at all.

Lawyer—I am perfectly willing to explain it, but the explanation will cost you \$100.

After being taken in to see his new baby sister, Henry, aged four, was very non-committal. A little later his mother sent for him and said:

"Henry, what do you think of our new baby?"

"Why, mother," he replied very seriously, "she's all brown and wrinkled. I'll bet you got stuck with an old one."

Pendleton—What are the two greatest wishes of a medical student?

Kefer—Give it up. What are they?

Pendleton—to put "Dr." before his own name and "Dr." after the names of other people.

In the game of life," observed the literary editor, "it is always—"

"I wish you wouldn't call life a game," interrupted the information editor.

"Why not?"

"Because it introduces the idea of chance. In the great scheme of creation —"

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Cor. 8th and High Sts.

Message Bound on Goose's Neck.

Fred Walton, a hunter of Granite City, Mo., killed a wild goose recently and message telling of boundless wealth, sickness and privation, of abandoned hope, was found bound to its neck. The message read:

"July 8, 1910, 120 miles due north of White Horse Rapids, on Pine Creek. I have been sick since June 15, and I feel certain I am going to die. My right arm is broken above the elbow, due to falling from the side of the mountain.

"I can hardly walk, and, although there is flour in my cabin, I have no way of cooking it, as my condition is such that I cannot do the work. Back of my cabin, two hundred yards up the gulch, where I have dug, there is a body of almost solid gold.

"It will never do me any good. Winter will be here in a few weeks, and if I am not found before then I will die from freezing to death.

"There is absolutely no hope for me."

"George Powers."

Just the Thing at Lenihan's.

Before buying your lady friend a box of candy see Lenihan's line.

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Two glass front wagons for sale at actual cost for cash.

15 tf YERKES & KENNEY.

Will Pool 1911 Crops.

Burley tobacco growers of Kentucky, West Virginia, Ohio, Indiana and Missouri, in conference at Lexington adopted an agreement to pool their 1911 crops. Mass conventions will be called in each of the states for December 30 to elect delegates to a general meeting on January 5, when officers will be elected and a general organization effected.

More than one hundred thousand growers producing in excess of three hundred million pounds of tobacco annually, are affected by the new organization, its promoters assert, inasmuch as the agreement adopted provides that no tobacco shall be raised in 1911.

One of the provisions of the new organization will limit the salary of any officer to \$5,000 a year. Delegates to the meeting declared that one of the potent reasons for the collapse of the Burley Tobacco Society, which failed to engineer a pool of the 1910 crop, was the salary of \$25,000 paid to its president, Clarence LeBus.

Fruits, Candies and Nuts.

We have the finest fruit and more of it than anyone in Paris. Our raisins and nuts are the best.

20 2t C. P. COOK & CO.

Fancy Baskets.

Fancy baskets filled with fancy fresh fruit.

20 2t BAIRD & TAYLOR.

Xmas Candies.

If you want a nice fresh box of candy get Nunnally's at tf

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The Finest Fruits.

If you are looking for fancy apples, oranges and bananas, you will find them at

17 2t BAIRD & TAYLOR'S.

Negro Charged With Triple Murder.

Three charred bodies found in the ruins of the burned home of J. L. Sanders, near Hester, N. C., and strands of a girl's hair discovered in a clot of blood in the yard led to the arrest of Nathan Montague, a young negro, on charge of criminal assault, murder and arson. The negro was rushed to Durham for safekeeping and will be transferred to the state penitentiary following an inquest.

Sam Clay.

Sam Clay whiskey at two dollars per gallon.

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Pipes, card cases and wallets for Christmas presents at Clarke & Co. 66t

Carpedien Society of State

The Carpedien Literary Society of the Eastern Kentucky State Normal School at Richmond, gave a banquet Saturday evening, December 17, to its members and friends. The English Room was used and was beautifully decorated with blue and white. A brief but interesting program was rendered by the Society after which refreshments were served. The banquet was a pronounced success and an event which will be remembered by the members as well as the numerous friends of the Society. All students from this county anticipating entering the Eastern Kentucky State Normal School are cordially invited to become members to the Carpedien Literary Society. Ask for the blue and white.

Insure with W. O. Hinton.
Prompt paying non-union companies.

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See those up-to-date work tables at J. T. Hinton's. Any woman that ever saw a neeble would be tickled to death to get one—something new.

Holiday Fares via Queen & Crescent Route.

Excursion tickets will be sold December 15, 16, 17, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 31, 1910 and January 1, 1911. Good returning until January 8, 1911. Call on nearest agent for particulars or write H. C. KING, P. & T. A., 101 E. Main Street, Lexington, Ky.

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Read every word of J. T. Hinton's big advertisement. He saves you money.

Eating Further Back.

The recent drop in the price of pork has enabled many of us to do as the old darky of whom we once heard says. Henry was a man of all jobs around the town where he lived. He was especially in demand about springtime when the women wanted their yards cleaned up and flower beds made and frequently accepted pay in the shape of a meal or some little gift from the family master. After a good many years' trial he succeeded in getting a pension, together with considerable back pay. He immediately changed his method of living and abandoned everything that looked like work. One day a lady sent him word by her husband that she had a few little jobs, and if he would come and do them for her, she would give him a nice job. Scornfully the offer Henry replied: "Thank ye, boss; but you go and tell Miss Salie I's eatin' a little furder back on the hog now."

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Belt Pins, Locket Chains, Manicure Articles, Necklaces, Photo Frames, Purse Cases, Hat Brushes, Cigarette Cases, Cigar Cases, Safety Razors, Scarf Pins, Match Boxes, Military Brushes, Pocket Knives, Pipes, Lockets, Necklaces, Purse Boxes, Cigar Cutters, Collar Buttons, Cuff Buttons, Desk Articles, Shirt Studs, Smoking Sets, Tie Holders, Flasks, Fountain Pens, Toilet Goods, Umbrellas, Vest Chains, Key Rings, Watches, Watch Fobs, Whisk Brooms.

GIFTS FOR MEN.

Ash Trays, Locket Chains, Manicure Articles, Necklaces, Photo Frames, Purse Cases, Hat Brushes, Cigarette Cases, Cigar Cases, Safety Razors, Scarf Pins, Match Boxes, Military Brushes, Pocket Knives, Pipes, Lockets, Necklaces, Purse Boxes, Cigar Cutters, Collar Buttons, Cuff Buttons, Desk Articles, Shirt Studs, Smoking Sets, Tie Holders, Flasks, Fountain Pens, Toilet Goods, Umbrellas, Vest Chains, Key Rings, Watches, Watch Fobs, Whisk Brooms.

GIFTS FOR CHILDREN.

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**We Urge One and All to Buy Early**

and avoid the rush. Any article purchased now will be laid aside until Christmas.

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PARIS, KENTUCKY.

Less Danger When Phones are Used.

Telephones for train dispatching on the Knoxville division of the Louisville & Nashville railroad have now been in service for more than two months, and officials say that they are even more successful than hoped for, says the Knoxville Journal and Tribune.

This is the first railroad that has ever displaced the old telegraph system with telephones in Tennessee, and probably in the Southeast, but already other roads whose officials have seen this division's lines in service, are contemplating inaugurating the system.

The advantage of using telephones in train dispatching are numerous. There is said to be much less danger of orders being misunderstood when spoken than when sent by code. It is also possible for a man to become a dispatcher without having to study for years on the telegraph code, and this itself is becoming a great item for railroad officials to worry about, for it is said to be almost impossible for the railways to find as many competent dispatchers as are needed. Another advantage is that at small side stations, where no night dispatchers are kept a train crew can forward or receive messages, should there be something wrong with their train, and the danger of wrecks can in this way be lessened.

During the past six months a great many improvements other than the telephone dispatching system have been made on the Knoxville division of the Louisville and Nashville railway, and it is now one of the most modern divisions of railroad in the south. All switch and signal lights have been changed and colors are now being used for signals which are less liable to be mistaken by train crews. A number of new engines have also been placed in service on the division, while numerous other minor improvements have been made.

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IN EFFECT, FEB. 2, 1910, AT 11:59 P. M.

Trains Arrive

FROM	TO	TIME
34 Atlanta, Ga., Daily	5.26 am	5.25 am
134 Lexington, Ky., Daily	7.25 am	7.25 am
7 Maysville, Ky., Daily Except Sunday	7.25 am	7.25 am
29 Cynthiana, Ky., Daily Except Sunday	7.55 am	7.55 am
10 Rowland, Ky., Daily Except Sunday	8.12 am	8.12 am
40 Lexington, Ky., Daily Except Sunday	9.40 am	9.40 am
37 Cincinnati, O., Daily	10.05 am	10.05 am
3 Maysville, Ky., Daily Except Sunday	10.10 am	10.10 am
12 Lexington, Ky., Daily	11.50 am	11.50 am
26 Lexington, Ky., Daily Except Sunday	3.10 pm	3.10 pm
25 Cynthiana, Ky., Daily Except Sunday	3.15 pm	3.15 pm
9 Maysville, Ky., Daily Except Sunday	3.22 pm	3.22 pm
188 Lexington, Ky., Daily	3.25 pm	3.25 pm
38 Knoxville, Tenn., Daily	5.25 pm	5.25 pm
5 Maysville, Ky., Daily	5.40 pm	5.40 pm
39 Cincinnati, O., Daily Except Sunday	6.22 am	6.22 am
8 Louisville & Frankfort, Daily Except Sunday	6.25 pm	6.25 pm
30 Lexington, Ky., Daily	6.27 pm	6.27 pm
32 Jacksonville, Fla., Daily	10.27 pm	10.27 pm
14 Lexington, Ky., Daily	10.40 pm	10.40 pm

Trains Depart

TO	FROM	TIME
34 Cincinnati, O., Daily	5.33 am	5.33 am
4 Maysville, Ky., Daily Except Sunday	5.35 am	5.35 am
11 Lexington, Ky., Daily Except Sunday	7.35 am	7.35 am
7 Frankfort & Louisville, Daily Except Sunday	7.35 am	7.35 am
40 Cincinnati, O., Daily Except Sunday	8.20 am	8.20 am
10 Maysville, Ky., Daily Except Sunday	8.20 am	8.20 am
29 Lexington, Ky., Daily	9.44 am	9.44 am
37 Knoxville, Tenn., Daily	10.15 am	10.15 am
33 Jacksonville, Fla., Daily	10.18 am	10.18 am
3 Lexington, Ky., Daily	11.52 am	11.52 am
6 Maysville, Ky., Daily	11.54 am	11.54 am
26 Cynthiana, Ky., Daily Except Sunday	3.30 pm	3.30 pm
25 Lexington, Ky., Daily Except Sunday	3.35 pm	3.35 pm
9 Rowland, Ky., Daily Except Sunday	5.48 pm	5.48 pm
39 Lexington, Ky., Daily Except Sunday	5.50 pm	5.50 pm
32 Cincinnati, O., Daily	6.32 pm	6.32 pm
13 Lexington, Ky., Daily	6.35 pm	6.35 pm
8 Maysville, Ky., Daily Except Sunday	6.45 pm	6.45 pm
30 Cynthiana, Ky., Daily Except Sunday	10.48 pm	10.48 pm
31 Lexington, Ky., Daily	10.50 pm	10.50 pm

F. & C. TIME-TABLE

IN EFFECT FEBRUARY 1, 1910.

Trains Arrive

FROM	TO	TIME
2 Frankfort, Ky., Daily Except Sunday	8.15 am	8.15 am
4 Frankfort, Ky., Daily Except Sunday	3.50 pm	3.50 pm
8 Louisville & Frankfort, Daily Except Sunday	6.22 pm	6.22 pm
162 Louisville & Frankfort, Sunday Only	10.10 pm	10.10 pm

Trains Depart

TO	FROM	TIME
161 Frankfort & Louisville, Sunday Only	7.00 am	7.00 am
7 Frankfort & Louisville, Daily Except Sunday	7.35 am	7.35 am
1 Frankfort, Ky., Daily Except Sunday	9.45 am	9.45 am
3 Frankfort, Ky., Daily Except Sunday	5.55 am	5.55 am

DISSOLUTION NOTICE.

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Through It Col. Butler's Triumphant Pigtail Should Protrude.

Thomas Butler, a Colonel in the army of the United States early in the nineteenth century, died in New Orleans in 1805 in the midst of his celebrated controversy with Gen. Wilkinson regarding the wearing of his queue.

Col. Butler insisted on wearing his hair in the old fashioned style in disobedience to Wilkinson's orders. According to Pierce Butler in his recently published biography of Judah P. Benjamin, while the agents of the company were still raging Butler died and left directions that a hole should be bored in the head of his coffin and that he should be borne to the grave with his triumphant pigtail protruding in defiance. The family tradition is that these directions were carried out.

Only the Truth.

A virtue carried to excess may become ridiculous. To such action one may well preach, "Be temperate in all things," even in virtue! Amelia Opie, the English authoress, was not content with any half measures, as is shown in a letter from her, quoted in "Quaker Pictures," by Wilfrid Whitter. Mrs. Opie's course of conduct is to be respected as proceeding from her conscientious nature, but fiction-readers may congratulate themselves that her opinions are not universal.

Before she became a Quaker she wrote fiction. After her conversion she was asked to contribute a story to a magazine. Her answer to the editor ran as follows:

"Thou knowest, or ought to know, that since I became a Friend I am not free to what is called to make a story. I will write a fact for thy perusal, or any little matter of history or truth, or a poem if thou wishest, but I must not lie and say such and such a thing took place when it did not."

"Dost thou understand?"

The Ozark Mountains.

The Ozark mountains form a plateau region, from 1,200 to 1,800 feet above the sea level, extending with gradual uprisings from the southern part of Illinois into Missouri, then, sloping down, enters Arkansas and Indiana Territory, and extends into Kansas. The highest point is Pilot Knob, in Iron county, Mo. The hills are in separate peaks or knobs, and not continuous ridges. The irregularities which show mountain making processes as existing are not visible here.

The Ozark mountains, or Ozark Plateau, belong with the oldest mountain regions of the world, and denudation is slowly but surely removing the once lofty mountains. The plateau belongs to the Tertiary period, but Pilot Knob, and vicinity belongs to the Paleozoic age. North of the Ozark slope and south of the Mississippi river is an old flood plain. On the southern slope are large forests.

Remedy for Choking.

"Raising the left arm as high as you can will relieve choking much more rapidly than the act of thumping one's back," said a physician, "and it is well that every one should know it, for often a person gets choked while eating where there is no one near to thump him. Very frequently at meals and when they are at play, children get choked while eating, and the customary manner of relieving them is to slap them sharply on the back. The effect of this is to set the obstruction free. The same thing can be brought about by raising the left hand of the child as high as possible, and the relief comes much more quickly. In happenings of this kind there should be no alarm, for if the child sees that older persons or parents get excited the effect is bad. The best thing is to tell the child to raise its left arm, and immediately the difficulty passes away."

A Dead Bird.

Samuel Butler, the witty but eccentric author of "Erewhon"—which means "Nowhere"—and of many other remarkable and suggestive books, is now more read than during his lifetime. He died in 1902. In one of his note-books he tells this incident, which must have amused the great Charles Darwin.

Frank Darwin told me his father was once standing near the hippopotamus cage when a little boy and girl, aged four and five, came up. The hippopotamus shut his eyes for a minute.

"That bird's dead," said the little girl. "Come along."

Early Railroad Station.

The oldest structure in the world originally built for a railroad station is the now disused L. & N. depot in Lexington, Ky. It was begun in 1833. From the northwest corner of this building the first passenger railway car west of the Alleghenies started on its daily run to Frankfort. It has been used for almost three-quarters of a century and stands as a landmark to remind the present generation of the old order of things in Lexington and central Kentucky.

Will Find Cure for Leprosy.

It is estimated that there are some 3,000,000 lepers in the world, but the cure of leprosy is now regarded as being within measurable distance.

Deeds Alone Count.

A good intention will no more make a truth than a fair mark will make a good shot.—Spurstone.

REASONS OF THE DRUGGIST.

For Not Having in Stock the Thing Called For by the Customer.

Druggists are unaccountable folk surely. The other day a man was looking for a certain patented article and tried five drug stores in turn in the same neighborhood before he was successful. Naturally in the stores where he failed, the offer of something just as good was made, but that wasn't the thing that hit him hardest.

In the second store the druggist said, "I did have that stuff in stock, but I never had any call for it. The only people who ever asked for it were the agents of the company, and they were around here all the time to see if we had it in stock. So I gave it up."

In the next store the druggist said, "Yes, I did keep that once, but when I ran out of the first supply I never could get the company to send any more. I was looking out for the wagon all the time, but for three weeks at a time they never sent it up here, so I got tired of waiting. Now I don't keep it."

You can tie them, but you can't beat them.

Blushing a Sign of Sense.

Sir Arthur Mitchell, K. C. B., of Edinburgh, who knows much that is strange about dreams, laughter and other commonplace human characteristics, has just advanced the惊人的理论 that blushing is an achievement of which every one who can blush should be proud.

He says it requires brains to blush. Idiots cannot blush, neither can animals. Sir Arthur calls attention to the fact that tiny infants do not blush, although they learn to do so at an early age, just as soon, in fact, as the brain begins to exercise its functions. In blushing, he says, the mind always must be affected. It is always and only a bodily expression of mental state. It is a natural thing for a blusher to say that he had tried not to blush. No individual blushes of his own free will. The blush arises without call instantaneously and vanishes almost as quickly. Neither for its coming nor its going is there any exercise of volition. It is controlled, Sir Arthur says, solely by the brain, and is a positive sign that there is an active brain there.

The Absent Mindedness of Genius.

The absent mindedness of great thinkers is a well known phenomenon. When Morse had completed his wonderful telegraphic system he confessed to a difficulty which appeared to him almost insurmountable. "As long as poles can be used," he said to a friend one day, "it is easy. But what must be done when we come to a bridge? We cannot use poles there, and the wire would break off its own weight without some support." "Well," replied the friend, "why not fix the wires to the bridge?" Morse looked at him thoughtfully for a moment, and then exclaimed

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Good Will Toward All Men

By ETHEL BARRINGTON



N sharp, bleak gusts the wind swept fitfully through Main street, shaking from their vantage points, on roof and porch, great pointed icicles that hung in glistening array, like crystal prisms on a chandelier.

In the road, thick snow had packed and hardened, while the air vibrated with the jingle of bells decorating alike sleighs and runnered wagons. At its head, the thoroughfare widened, to split in four directions, and in one of the triangles thus formed rose the Brick Hotel. It was an exposed spot, one to be avoided in rough weather, affording as it did full scope to the wind to play mad pranks; even, at its wildest, to sweep unfortunate pedestrians before it, like dust before a giant's broom.

Yet on Christmas eve, Maris Favor returning from the office where the rush of holiday work had detained her far beyond her usual hour, paused, wondering what attracted the crowd of her fellow townsmen. She crossed to the outer edge of the gathering in the roadway, and by a flaring torch, held by a companion of the man who was speaking, she saw a street preacher. "Good-will towards all men," was the text he preached. "Good-will not alone towards those in our beloved and immediate circle; not alone towards such as we hold in careless tolerant regard, but good-will towards all, whether they have done us good or evil turns. For the advent of the Christ-child, brings with it a brooding spirit of peace to a sin-tossed world."

"Which among you," cried the preacher, his voice risen to accusing note, "which among you, were all secrets known, would not be found to cherish and foster the memory of some special wrong, suffered perhaps years ago, that you hold back, and except when you pray, 'Forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us'?"

In the second story of the hotel one of the windows had been raised, and Maris, feeling that curious sensation which is caused by an intent regard, glanced up to encounter the concentrated gaze of the mistress of the hostelry, who leaned a little distance between the parted shutters. Maris, with sullen color mounting to her face, returned the look; power to turn aside being negatived by some strange force in the eyes that compelled hers.

She and the woman, who once had been as a mother to her only to slant the door of happiness in her face, continued to stare across the heads of the preacher and his listening audience.

The older woman leaned a little farther and, with imperative finger, beckoned the girl to enter the hotel. The action broke the spell and Maris, with a defiant negation of the head, turned to pursue her way.

"Maris—"

The girl could not have told whether or not her name had been actually spoken, or was merely a silent cry, a part of the compelling influence she had experienced. Nevertheless her steps lagged and, though yielding had been far from her will, she presently turned about and entered the Brick Hotel.

The door was open, the sitting-room warm with fire and lamp, and Rachel Castle stood listening, her face turned towards the door.

"Courageous! What gave me courage to face the world after you had cast me from your home? It was the knowledge that it was not in your power to take Ben from me—I sent him away myself."

"He followed you, then?" Rachel Castle sank back into the armchair. She had not known.

"It's so long ago," the girl told her. "You need not mind."

"Why did you not take him?" the mother questioned curiously.

"Pride—wounded vanity—the fact that I must always be in your debt."

"My dear—how you wiped that out forever!"—and with a yearning that would not be denied, the elder woman reached out her arms to the girl.

A shrill whistle caught the other's ear; the sound for which she waited.

The express from New York must have deposited its home-coming passengers some minutes before and was again flying through the darkness to its destination.

"I wanted to be sure that you still cared," she whispered, her fingers hovering above the bowed head. "Change, you know, is the one thing we old folks have to learn to reckon with."

"How could I change!" Maris lifted her head in quick resentment, but what she beheld in the close bent face silenced her.

"True—I am the one who has changed. Maris, I acknowledge, now, that having brought you two together, I should have abided by the consequences. But I was ambitious for my boy—I wanted—but that is past. In separating you two, I have built a barrier between myself and my only son—Maris"—her voice was no more than a thread of sound—"I ask you to give him back to me."

There came a quick step on the stair, outside, and in the doorway stood Ben Castle, a little blinded with the sudden glare.

"Mother—" he said, and, leaving Maris where she crouched upon the rug, Rachel Castle moved swiftly towards him.

"Ben!" she cried. "It's like the old Christmases to have you home, and Ben"—clinging to his broad shoulders with both frail hands, as she kissed him again—"Ben, I want you to speak to—"

Before she closed the door she saw her son drop into the chair where she had sat and, lifting the bowed figure of the girl, crush her hungrily against his heart.

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Anthony Riggs' Fortune

by Clarissa Mackie

"Christmas comes but once a year—and when it goes I'm glad of it!" misquoted Mr. Anthony Riggs, looking sourly at the toe of his slipper.

As Anthony Riggs lived all alone in the big house, there was no one to talk to his unpleasant remarks. Downstairs in the kitchen his one servant clattered noisily about her work. Everywhere else in the house it was very quiet. And there is no silence like that of a great house which has once known the joyful clamor of a large and happy family.

Years ago Anthony had had a love affair, but it ended most unhappily. The girl had married another man and Anthony Riggs had been left to develop into a morose old bachelor—not so very old at that.

"Christmas comes but once a year—and I'll try to get as far away from it as I can," misquoted Mr. Riggs once more, as he kicked off his slippers and reached for his shoes. When he was buttoned tightly into his fur-lined ulster and his sealskin cap was pulled down over his ears there was nothing to be seen save a pair of very bright brown eyes and an aristocratic nose.

Once in the snowy streets Anthony Riggs found himself nearer to Christmas than he had been before. The shops were overflowing with holly wreaths and branches of mistletoe, toys and games and candy and nuts. Beautiful gifts were displayed in the windows and many happy, expectant faces were pressed against the plate-glass panes.

"Please, sir," said a small voice at Anthony's elbow, "can't you give me a job carrying your bundles?"

"What bundles?" frowned Anthony. "Your Christmas presents—what you're going to buy, sir," said the little boy, respectfully.

"I'm not going to buy any presents," replied Anthony quite fiercely. "Here's something for you—go and buy your own gifts and don't bother me!" He thrust a dollar bill into the eager little fingers and strode on, unmindful of the curious glances of those who had overheard his conversation with the little lad.

A glittering window full of jewels threw a flashlight on his memory. It was in that same shop he had once purchased a ring for Mary Wood. The ring had been returned to him and he had flung it into the farthest corner of his desk. It was there now.

He turned away and sauntered on. In front of his own church, friendly hands drew him into the brightly lighted basement of the edifice where the annual Christmas bazaar was in progress.

There was a merry throng of men, women and children moving to and fro among the booths devoted to the sale of fancy articles, toys and candy. Supper tables occupied one end of the room and in an obscure corner a fortune teller's tent was made of gay shawls. In the middle of the room stood a gigantic Christmas tree, loaded with gifts wrapped in tissue paper.

"Ten cents will entitle you to a gift from the tree," explained his guide. "I don't like presents," said Anthony grimly.

Deacon Smithers smiled quizzically. "Very well, suit yourself, Anthony. There is the fortune teller—perhaps she will predict a happy future for you! There is the supper table, which will insure you a good meal—and the booths—pay your money and take your choice!" He moved away and left Anthony Riggs standing pale and cold in the midst of the happy crowd.

Perhaps it was because he did not know what else to do that Anthony awaited his turn at the fortune teller's tent, and once within its dim recesses he felt foolishly aware that the future held nothing for him that he did not know.

The gipsy's dark head was concealed in the folds of a lace mantilla; from the flowing sleeves of her red velvet bodice, two slim brown arms and hands flashed out and caught his large hand. The lace-draped head bent over his palm.

"You have had much sorrow," said the gipsy in a low musical voice, "but much of it has been your own making! Do the things I shall tell you and you will live to be very happy and see your dearest wish gratified!"

Anthony smiled sardonically. "And the three things I shall do?" he asked.

"The day after tomorrow is Christmas day. Tomorrow night you must make three persons happy. Find three persons who are poor and needy and sorrowful and take them to your home and provide them with a bountiful dinner; have gifts for them and when they have gone away blessing you then, you may receive a gift yourself."

"What will it be? I don't want a gift—I haven't kept Christmas for years," protested Anthony, as he placed some money on the table.

"Time you did, then! Don't forget—

or you will lose your last chance of being happy. And stay—" A slim hand arrested his going.

"Yes?" Anthony's voice was very cold.

"Be sure to have that ring in readiness—you may need it!"

And the next instant Anthony found himself elbowed out of the tent by impatient waiters at the door, and without another glance about the decorated room he left the church and went home, much perturbed.

Of course, Anthony Riggs knew that the fortune teller could be none other than some member of his church who was familiar with more or less of the detail of his life and habits. He was surprised at his own lack of indignation because his private affairs had been discussed by a stranger—indeed, he almost felt a glow of gratification that he was still numbered among those to whom something wonderful might happen.

"I'll try it, anyway," said Anthony that night as he blew out his candle. "It can do no harm."

It is a simple matter to make poor people happy. Anthony Riggs found it so. The day before Christmas was marked by a series of galvanic shocks for the servant maid in the basement of Anthony's fine house. Before night the pantries were filled with delicious viands and the smell of spices and mincemeat pervaded the house.

Anthony's three persons became six, for it was so easy to add another one and still another to the little company he had invited. They were old men and women and they enjoyed the feast of good things with a pleasure that made Anthony's heart ache as it had never ached since the day when Mary Wood had sent back his ring.

At last he sent them home in carriages laden with the remains of the dinner and with many gifts that would add comfort to declining years. The best gift of all was that Anthony Riggs had promised not to forget them—he would be their benefactor till they had passed into the hands of the great benefactor.

When he was alone in the brightly lighted parlor, with the blaze of the chandelier falling on the silver threads in his black hair, Anthony thought



"And You—You Meant What You Promised?—That Happiness Would Come to Me?"

of the bitter years he had wasted—years in which he might have made many persons happy. The reward of good deeds was warm in his heart this night and he forgot that there was not one to offer him a gift with loving words. He had received the greatest of all gifts—the love and gratitude of his fellow men.

The door softly opened and a woman crept in, small slender woman with dusky hair and dark eyes shining like stars.

Anthony Riggs did not look up. He had forgotten that the fortune teller had promised him a gift that night. On his little finger was a small ring set with a single pearl.

"Anthony!" The visitor's voice was low and musical.

"Mary Wood," said Anthony hoarsely; and then with a glance at the black lace draped about her head, he added:

"You were the fortune teller last night?"

"Yes."

"And you—you meant what you promised?—that happiness would come to me?"

"It has come, Anthony," she faltered drawing near to him. "We were so mistaken—you and I—and the years have been long. I am free now—they said you needed me and that night when I saw your bitter face I knew you needed the influence of a greater love than mine before we met."

Anthony Riggs took his sweetheart into his arms. "I have found the greater love, Mary, and its root is pity. My love for you will be better and worthier because of my love for the poor and needy. And tomorrow—to-morrow you will marry me and become my Christmas gift in truth?"

"Yes," said Mary Wood.

And so Anthony Riggs slipped the little pearl ring on her finger.

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A Way Out of It.

Anna was making Christmas presents.

"Oh, dear, this doesn't look nice," said she.

"Little Helen, looking on, remarked in a sympathizing tone:

"Oh, well, auntie, you can give it to some one who is near-sighted."



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A couple arrived recently at the best of the Philadelphia hotels and set out to visit all the leading tailors. The man wanted a winter outfit of a comprehensive character, while the woman was just as interested in accumulating a winter wardrobe of the tailor made variety. Occupying large rooms in the hotel, there was no reason to believe that the two were anything other than they represented themselves. So when they gave the number of their suite in the hotel the samples were forthcoming.

After several days had passed without the expected orders the tailors began to send to the hotel for information. The answer returned was that the two had given up their rooms and left the day before. No samples were to be found.

The number of inquirers became so large that they were referred by the hotel clerk to police headquarters. More than 1,000 samples of cloth had been sent by the tailors to the couple. Investigation showed their purpose when in the Broad street station were found two wooden packages they had checked there, filled with sample cards from which the cloth had been torn away.

The couple had succeeded in acquiring possession of the best samples of the firms that deal in the high class exclusive patterns. Of course they will sell their patterns to the cheaper firms that endeavor to reproduce them.

Even a bolder effort to get the exclusive samples is reported from Chicago. There two men rented a store in which to open a tailoring business of a high priced character and sent to the manufacturers for their samples. The samples were sent, but no orders ever came.

Later inquiry from the manufacturers showed that the firm had got no further in its career than taking the store for a month. Its object was plain when some of the best designs were turned out by the cheap mills.

Origin of the "Black Hand."
There was a historical foundation for the name "black hand," according to Everybody's. Back in Inquisition days in Spain there was La Mano Nera, a secret society which fought the government and the church. It passed, and the secret societies of southern Italy were its heirs. Twenty years or more ago a false report was raised in Spain that La Mano Nera had been revived. The story lingered in the brain of a Herald reporter, and one fine day he attempted to rejuvenate waning interest in a puzzling Italian murder case by speculating as to the coming to life of the "black hand" among Latin immigrants in America. The other newspapers seized on the idea eagerly and kept it going.

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A member of an eminent St. Louis law firm went to Chicago to consult a client. When he arrived he found that he had unaccountably forgotten the client's name. He telegraphed his partner, "What is our client's name?" The answer read: "Brown, Walter E. Yours is Allen, William B."

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At Loraine, Ohio, in an accident on the Baltimore & Ohio railroad, Dock Stegall, formerly of Paris, had his left leg cut off and shoulder broken. He is a son of Mr. Rufus Stegall and brother of Mr. Benj. Stegall, of Paris. He is a married man.

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J. T. HINTON.

Caboose and Car Burned.

Wednesday evening about nine o'clock the fire department was called out to an alarm from Box 32. A fire originating from an overheated stove in a caboose in the yards of the L. & N. railroad consumed that and a car loaded with railroad ties. The caboose was on a siding waiting to be attached to a train that was about to leave for the South when the fire was discovered. The yard crews experienced great difficulty in getting other cars out of danger. The members of the freight crew who were preparing for the trip lost all of their clothing in the fire.

Fire and Tornado Insurance.

Thomas & Woodford.

Mince Meat and Plum Pudding.

Your Christmas dinner will not be complete without Fernell's mince meat and plum pudding.

20 ft C. P. COOK & CO.

Ask for Old John Poindexter Whisky. None better. 4t

Vacuum Cleaners.

Get one of those Vacuum Cleaners at J. T. Hinton's. If you don't like it you can send it back.

During Holidays.

The Public Library will be closed from December 25 till January 2, on account of holidays.

Appropriate and Beautiful.

A box of Crane's beautiful paper would be the real thing. Come and see for yourself.

PARIS BOOK CO.

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Home-made horse radish. Telephone us.

16 ft SAUER.

For Christmas.

Christmas house slippers and shoes. We have them at bargain prices.

DAN COHEN.

Fancy Baskets.

The prettiest and nicest fancy baskets of fruit for Christmas presents can be found at Fee's. All sizes and prices. See the window display.

OPEN NIGHTS.

Visit our big store; it will be open every night, including Christmas eve, for the convenience of Christmas shoppers.

Nunnally's Candies.

Nunnally's fine box candies fresh by express.

VARDEN & SON.

Nice Assortment.

For the Christmas trade I have a nice assortment of nuts and candies.

CHAS. CLENDENIN.

"Goodies" for Christmas.

Turkeys, chickens, oysters, celery, cranberries.

T. LENIHAN, Both phones 234.

Open Nights.

Our store is open every night now until Christmas. Select your presents now and have them laid away until you are ready for them.

13 ft J. T. HINTON.

Will Close Monday.

The undersigned firms will close their places of business on Monday, December 26, for the Christmas holiday:

SPEARS & SONS.

YERKS & KENNEY.
J. S. WILSON & BRO.
SIUART & O'BRIEN.

C. R. TURNER,
W. C. DODSON,

TEMLIN LUMBER CO.,
PARIS MILLING CO.

RELIGIOUS.

—Christian church Christmas services will be as follows:

Morning at 10:45—organ soliloquy, selected; hymn, "All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name"; invocation; anthem, "The Hills of Palestine." Ashford; hymn, "To Us a Child is born;" scripture; prayer; hymn, "Oh Come All Ye Faithful;" announcements; offertory; anthem, "Joy to the World;" Fearis; sermon by the pastor, Elder Morgan; Text, "Christ and the Children," a Christmas sermon; communion. Night service at seven o'clock. Elder Morgan's sermon will be something to think about at the end of the year. The morning program of music will be repeated.

—Services at Episcopal church Sunday, Christmas day, at 10:45.

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A Fountain Pen.

Would please the boy. We have them from \$1 up.

PARIS BOOK CO.

WATCH THE WINDOW.

Watch our window for

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9-ft SHIRE & FITHIAN.

SPECIAL PRICES TO-DAY.

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J. T. HINTON.

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13 ft MISS JESSIE BROWN.

For Pumpkin Pie.

Order one of these fine home-grown pumpkins to make those Christmas pies of. We have some fine ones.

16 ft SAUER.

PERSONAL MENTION.

—Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Kiser were visitors in Cincinnati Wednesday.

—Mrs. Helen Forsyth, of Barboursville, W. Va., is here, the guest of relatives.

—Mr. Chas. E. Butler returned Tuesday from a two week's business trip in Texas.

—Mrs. J. Z. DeHart has as her guest for the holidays, Mrs. Dora Fitzgerald, of Leonan.

—Dr. Ben Frank, of New York, arrived Tuesday night to spend the holidays with relatives.

—Mr. Jasper Offutt, of near Paris, is able to be out after a ten days' illness of stomach trouble.

—Dr. Clara B. Mathews will leave tonight for Lafayette, Ind., to spend the holidays with relatives.

—Mr. Reuben Hutchcraft, of Harvard College, is the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Hutchcraft.

—Mr. and Mrs. William M. Shobe, of Salem, N. J., are guests of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Butler.

—Misses Ellen Towles and Maril Talbot, students at Margaret Hall College, Versailles, returned home Thursday.

—Mr. Thomas Herrin left Wednesday for Danville, Illinois where he will make his future home with his daughter, Mrs. A. J. Rice.

—Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Thompson will leave the first of next week for Fort Worth, Amarillo and San Antonio, Texas, to spend the winter.

—Messrs. Norval and Edward Brewer, of Whiteland, Ind., will be the guests during the holidays of Prof. and Mrs. M. G. Thompson.

—Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Stephens and children of Bugman, Oklahoma, are the guests of Mrs. Stephen's sister, Mrs. D. McFarlan, on Vine street.

—Mr. Raymond McMillan, a student at the Louisville Dental College is to return to spend the holidays with his mother, Mrs. Sallie McMillan, in East Paris.

—Mr. and Mrs. Henry J. Schwartz of Indianapolis, will arrive Saturday to spend the Christmas holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Schwartz on High street.

—Misses Frankie Clark, of this city, and Nettie Wasson, of Millersburg, will spend the holidays with Misses Lou Banks and Mary Boone, in Winchester.

—Dr. A. J. Skillman and classmate, Dr. Guy McCord, of Nashville, Tenn., are guests of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Skillman, at North Middletown.

—Mr. Oscar Hinton, student at Pennsylvania University in Lexington, arrived Wednesday to spend the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Hinton.

—Miss Nannie Clay, a student at Ursuline Academy, Brown county, Ohio, is spending the Christmas holidays with her father, Mr. Brutus Clay, at Austerlitz.

—Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Clark returned Tuesday from the West where they visited their sons, Robert Clark at Hot Springs, Ark., and John T. Clark at Phoenix, Arizona.

—Misses Nellie Fithian, Fannie Ingles and Elizabeth Crutcher, teachers, and Misses Nell Crutcher and Augusta Rogers, pupils, of Caldwell College, Danville, are at home for the holidays.

—Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Terry and son, Robert, of Mexico City, Mexico, will arrive today to spend the holidays with the former's sisters, Misses Margaret and Beatrice Terry, at their home, corner Main and Telith streets in this city.

—Col. L. P. Young, who has been the guest of his son, Mr. J. F. Young, at Little Rock, has returned to his home in Lexington. Colonel Young will leave next week for Tulsa, Okla., for a two months' visit to his son, Mr. Albert Young.

—Misses Birdie Wollstein and Goldie Saloshin, students at the Cincinnati Conservatory of Music, accompanied by Miss Hazel Straus, of Cincinnati, will arrive home today. Miss Straus will be their guest during the holidays.

—Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Adecock will celebrate Friday, the seventh anniversary of their marriage, with a six o'clock dinner at their home on Cypress street. They will have as their guests, Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Flynn, of Ohio, and the following from Winchester: Mr. and Mrs. Harry Turney, Mr. and Mrs. Caulin Bedford, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ramsley, and Miss Annie Woodward, Mrs. Adecock's sister, Mr. and Mrs. Adecock and two children, Mary Martin and B. F., Jr., will go to Wincheter Sunday to spend Christmas day with Mrs. Adecock's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Woodward.

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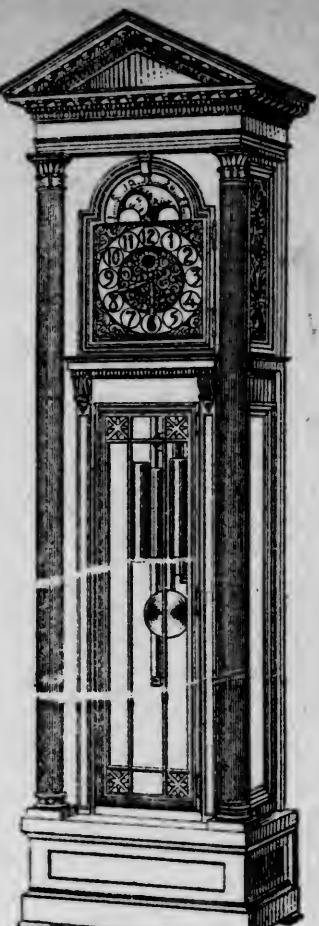
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ITALIAN CHEAP LIVING.**Railroad Laborers Able to Get Along on Less than \$10 a Month.**

That Italian laborers save more money at the same wages than any other European immigrants is a statement made in a report of the department of commerce and labor. The reason is easily found, says the New York Sun.

A great majority of the unskilled laborers in this country are employed in railroad construction and similarly carried on where there are no accommodations for boarding and lodging the men. The boarding camp thus becomes essential to the contracting company.

In the case of men of all nationalities except the Italians a fixed charge is made for the boarding and lodging of each man. The Italians, however, insist on buying and cooking their own food.

Investigation of the records of a contracting company employing many laborers of various nationalities in railroad construction showed that the actual cost to the company of groceries, provisions and payment for cooks, waiters, fuel, light, etc., at its boarding camps was 19 cents a meal, or \$3.99 a week for each man. The men were charged \$18 a month for board and lodging.

The Italians at the camps of the same company lived mostly on macaroni, sausage, cheese, sardines and bread being the staples and the others used very sparingly. The average monthly expense of each laborer was as follows: Twenty-five one and one-half pound loaves of bread at 8 cents, \$2; thirty pounds of macaroni at 7 cents, \$2.10; sausage, sardines and cheese, \$1.50; lard, 90 cents.

Most of the Italians in addition to that amount spent an average of \$3 a month for beer, cheap cigars and tobacco, which with the expense of \$1 a month for shanty rent brought the total cost of living up to about \$10 a month.

A Woman's Heroism.

History has presented few examples of greater heroism than that of Mrs. S. J. Rooke, the telephone operator of Folsom, N. M., who when warned by a resident of the hills to flee for her life from the flood speeding to engulf the valley, rejected the opportunity to save herself and employed the hour that intervened between the warning received and her own death by drowning in calling up subscribers by telephone and acquainting them of their danger. More than 40 families have already acknowledged their lives saved through the magnificent courage of one frail woman, whose lifeless body, with the telephone headpiece still adjusted to her ears, was found 12 miles down the canyon.

Spurious Superiority.

Dr. Johnson said of a certain Mr. Kendrick: "Sir, he is one of the men who have made themselves public without making themselves known." That is to say, all his fame rested on attributes he did not own, but possessed only as the jackdaw in the fable stuck the peacock's feathers in his tail.

He Could Not Quite Remember.
Voltaire's plaint, "The necessity of saying something, the perplexity of having nothing to say!" might have found an echo in an audience addressed for the third time in one service by an old gentleman famed for his readiness to speak. "I was thinking while sitting here of the words of the poet," said he. "I can't just remember the words, and the name of the poet has gone from me." —Youth's Companion.

Ends Winter's Troubles.

To many, winter is a season of trouble. The frost bitten toes and fingers, chapped hands and lips, chilblains, cold sores, red and rough skins, prove this. But such troubles fly before Bucklin's Arnica Salve. A trial convinces. Greatest healer of burns, boils, piles, cuts, sores, eczema and sprains. Only 25c at Oberdorfer's.

Banks On Sure Thing Now.

"I'll never be without Dr. King's New Life Pills again," writes A. Schingeneck, 647 Elm street, Buffalo, N. Y. "They cured me of chronic constipation when all others failed." Unequalled for biliousness, jaundice, indigestion, headache, chills, malaria and debility. 25c at Oberdorfer's.

Have You Tried It?

There is a bottle of Cardui waiting for you at the drug store. Have you tried it?

If not, we urge you to do so, before your troubles have obtained such a hold on you, that nothing will drive them out.

Even now, it may be nearly too late. But try it anyhow. If anything can help you, Cardui will. It has helped in thousands of cases, where other medicines had been tried in vain. Why should it not do the same for you?

Take CARDUI

The Woman's Tonic

"My daughter, Octava, would have been in her grave today, had it not been for that fine medicine, Cardui," writes Mrs. Laura Lawrence, of Drennon Springs, Ky.

"Nothing I tried helped my daughter, until she had taken Cardui. I had sent for the doctor, when I thought of your medicine and got a \$1 bottle. When she had taken four doses she became all right. I often recommend Cardui to my friends."

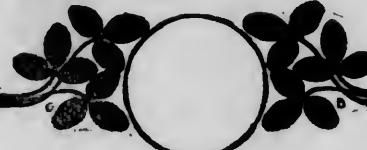
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Bourbon Garage and Supply Company.**Saved From Awful Death.**

How an appalling calamity in his family was prevented is told by A. D. McDonald of Fayetteville, N. C., R. F. D. No. 8. "My sister had consumption," he writes, "she was very thin and pale, had no appetite and seemed to grow weaker every day, as all remedies failed, till Dr. King's New Discovery was tried, and so completely cured her, that she has not been troubled with a cough since. Its the best medicine I ever saw or heard of." For coughs, colds, grippe, asthma, croup, hemorrhage, all bronchial trouble it has no equal. 50c. and \$1.00. Trial bottle free. Guaranteed by Oberdorfer.

A Tree That Weeps.

During the driest months of the Rhodesian year—August, September and October, a tree called by the natives Mukolo, exudes moisture in large drops from its topmost leaves, and gives the traveler who happens to be standing in the immediate vicinity the impression that a shower of rain is falling. When the natives see one of these trees dripping, they say: "The Mukolo is weeping for rain." Even during the hottest day the tree weeps copiously.—Strand.

Crystal Gazing.

In Africa crystal gazing seems to be common. Mr. Lang cites a case from Madagascar where a woman is alleged to have seen a French vessel on its way thither and to have recognized its occupants weeks before the ship was in sight of land. The Africans of Fez used a vessel of water and at the present day a pool of ink is in use in Egypt.

The Philosopher of Folly.

"Eating food to keep it from spoiling," says the Philosopher of Folly, "is converting one's self into a domestic reduction plant."

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Really Kind.
Mother (telling the history of our first parents)—And Eve ate of the fruit, and she gave some to Adam.
Dolly—Oh, mamma! How kind of her!

A Hard One.
Wife — You promised that if I would marry you my every wish would be gratified.
Husband—Well, isn't it?
Wife—No; I wish I hadn't married you.



NO WORK THERE.
The Doctor—Your husband looks as though he were overworked.
Mrs. Wise—Impossible. He holds a political office.

It was in school. The children were studying the stationer's table:
Twenty-four sheets, one quire.
Twenty quires, one ream.

The teacher asked, "Who can tell what a stationer is?"

Two little boy raised their hands.

"John?" said the teacher.

"A stationer is a man who keeps a station," said John, confidently.

"Frank, tell me what you think." "I think a stationer is a hotelkeeper," he declared confidently.

"Why do you think so, Frank?" asked the teacher curiously.

"Because I don't know anyone else who would have twenty-four sheets."

Limpy Bill—I had to split up twice as much wood as usual afore th' old lady would gimme a hand-out.

Blinay Bob—What's th' cause of it, Limpy?

Limpy—Th' increased cost of livin', I s'pose.

Householder (to street musicians) —"No; I sha'n't give you anything. You'll play all out of tune."

Cornet, confidentially) — "Well, I'll tell you 'ow it is, sir. There's some of em as a grudge against others, and does it o' purpose."

Butler—"Lady Gray and the new cook are waiting below stairs, ma-dam."

Mrs. Frost—"Show the cook up first, Jorkins. Lady Gray can wait, but the cook won't."—Life

Judge (to barber sentenced to death)—If you have a last request, the court will be glad to grant it.

Barber—I should like to shave the prosecuting attorney.

"There's a masked man at the back door."

"Horrors! Is he after my diamonds?" "No, madame. He only wants to borrow a can of gasoline."

German Proverb.
By three things we learn men—love, play and wine.

All He Was Worth.
Once there was an Indian named Big Smoke, employed as a missionary to his fellow Smokes. A white man, encountering Big Smoke, asked him what he did for a living. "Umpf!" said Big Smoke, "me preach." "That so? What do you get for preaching?" "Me get ten dollars a year." "Well," said the white man, "that's damn poor pay." "Umpf!" said Big Smoke, "me damn poor preacher."

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in a very short time. It not only builds her up, but enriches the mother's milk and properly nourishes the child.

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Just Had to Do It.
"See here," said the judge to the garrulous prisoner who was acting as his own attorney, "you'll have to cut out those interruptions. I won't allow you to waste the time of the court." "But, your honor," rejoined the prisoner, "what else can I do? I've got no lawyer to do it for me."

Enemy of Rattlesnake.
No resident of Arizona, New Mexico, or Texas would kill a road-runner. It is firmly believed that the bird is the deadly enemy of that monster of the desert, the rattlesnake. The accepted tradition is that the road-runner and the rattlesnake are deadly enemies, and that the rattlesnake fears the road-runner beyond anything else.

How True!
"Homely women angie for men," says the Philosopher of Folly, "but a pretty girl depends on her curves."

The Test of Civilization.
The quality of the bread which a nation eats is the true index of the grade of civilization.—Baker's Weekly.

Wants to Help Some One.

For thirty years J. F. Boyer of Fertile, Mo., needed help and couldn't find it. That's why he wants to help someone now. Suffering so long himself he feels for all distress from backache, nervousness, loss of appetite, lassitude and kidney disorders. He shows that Electric Biters work wonders for such troubles. "Five bottles," he writes, "wholly cured me and now I am well and hearty." It's also positively guaranteed for liver trouble, dyspepsia, blood disorders, female complaints and malaria. Try them. 50¢ at Oberdorfer's.

Something to Remember.
Bear this in mind, love letters are never burned until after you've married the girl, and sometimes not then.—Detroit Free Press.

An Alphabetical Shift.

"There is a strong egotistic tendency in modern literature." "Yes. Formerly, when a man wanted to be startlingly emphatic, he used a big 'I.' Now he uses a large 'I.'"

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Make your wife a present of a can of lard, 12 1-2c per pound, in 50-pound cans, until December 26.

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Burt Brown, of Gun Log, Ga., had the unusual experience of being sewed up six hours in a mule's carcass.

Brown and several companions were returning home by a country road, when, suffering from the effects of too much liquor, collapsed by the roadside near the carcass of a dead mule. The practical jokers, seeing Brown asleep, hastily stowed him away, stitching up the hide with strings. The sleeping man finally awoke and

began yelling. Two men came up, and hearing shrieks cut the stitches and let Brown out, cold and badly frightened.

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I will take your order for Christmas turkeys.

CHAS. CLENUENIN.

McGann Was Not Murdered.

At Louisville Tuesday the coroner's jury that investigated the death of Dennis L. McGann, better known in the base ball world as "Dan" McGann, returned a verdict that he "came to his death from a bullet wound in his heart, inflicted by his own hand in his room at Bosler's Hotel, Second and Jefferson streets, on December 13." The inquest was conducted by Coroner Ellis Duncan.

For the Holiday Use.

During the holidays we are offering four-year-old Wigglesworth and Vanhook whiskey at \$2.00 per gallon. This whiskey is 100 proof.

JOHN JOHNSON
15 tf Tenth and Pleasant Sts.

Good News.

The ladies will be glad to know that Miss Holladay's home made candies are now on sale at Bruce Holladay's.

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Fancy Baskets.

Talking of fancy baskets, well, you have never seen any until you have had a look at those we are showing. The most exquisite line ever brought to Paris. Price 25 cents to \$5 and up, and don't think that we haven't the good things to put in them either, for we have.

20 tf JAS. E. CRAVEN.

Has Teeth Made of Hickory.

In Hart county resides a man that claims the distinction of being the oldest mail carrier in the United States, and now he asks the Government to retire him on a pension. This man is Frank Forbes, who is ninety years of age, and has been carrying the mail from Munfordville to Coo Run, a distance of fifteen miles, daily for half a century.

During his life he has lost only three teeth and has worn false teeth made out of seasoned hickory. They are cut by him so as to fit about the other teeth. They last for several years and when they wear out he makes others. The aged carrier filed his application for a pension a few days ago.

For the Holiday Use.

During the holidays we are offering four-year-old Wigglesworth and Vanhook whiskey at \$2.00 per gallon. This whiskey is 100 proof.

JOHN JOHNSON
15 tf Tenth and Pleasant Sts.

Store Open Evenings Till Christmas.



And Continuing Next Week.

Of course you are going to give some one a House Slipper for a Xmas present--Now is your chance. Come to us for your Xmas Footwear purchases and save the difference. We have the finest assortment of House Slippers and Shoes for Men, Women and Children at the lowest prices.

Men's Shoes

Men's Custom-made Shoes in Box Calf, Gun Metal and Patent Colt, button and lace. \$4 value.

Special \$2.99

Men's extra fine quality Shoes, all latest styles, Button and Lace \$3.50 value.

Special \$2.49

Men's \$2.75 and \$3 values.

Special \$1.99 and \$2.24

Men's House Slippers

Men's Black and Tan soft Kid Opera Slippers. \$1.50 values.

Special 99c

Men's Black and Tan high-grade Slippers, hand-turned soles.

Special \$1.49

Men's Slippers, \$1.75 value.

Special \$1.24

Women's House Slippers

Ladies' Nullifiers trimmed in black, brown, blue and gray. \$1 value.

Special 79c

Women extra fine Nullifiers, hand-sewed, \$1.25 value.

Special 99c

Women's fine house Slippers.

Special \$1.24

Women's Shoes

Women's latest style footwear. All leathers included. Button and lace.

Special \$2.24

Women's \$3 and \$3.50 Shoes.

Special \$2.49

Children's Rubber Boots, red tops, just the thing to give the little ones for Xmas.

Special \$1.59

Misses' and Children's Jockey Boots, 99c to \$2.49.

SPECIAL--Men's and Women's Alligator and Plush House Slippers, 39c.

Give Him a Present of a Pair of "Walk-Over" Shoes--They Are Long Remembered.

DAN COHEN

336 Main Street,

Paris, Kentucky

AT THE BIG ELECTRIC SIGN

TODD'S BODY RECOVERED

Young Man Drowned at Millersburg Tuesday Taken from Stream Early Next Day

WAS NATIVE OF MADISON

Remains Taken to Richmond for Burial Thursday -- Happening in Millersburg

The body of Price Todd, aged 21 years who was drowned in Hinkston creek, Tuesday afternoon, about 5:30 o'clock, was recovered Wednesday morning at an early hour following an ineffective search which continued in the night Tuesday.

Todd was residing with Mr. J. E. Mann and had been stripping tobacco for him in the barn of Peed & McClintock. Mann resided on the farm of A. T. Vimont and Todd, in company with Harry Mann, after the day's work was done, was returning home. It was much nearer to reach home by crossing the creek, they believing that the ice was yet firm. They attempted to cross back of the property of Dr. T. R. Hurt in the bend of the creek.

Todd was walking a little in advance of Mann and had gotten out about twenty feet from the shore when the ice broke with him. Mann called to him to hold on to the ice until he could procure a pole. Todd in his frantic efforts to extricate himself made several attempts to get out on the ice, each time it broke with him, dropping him back into the icy water.

Mann returned with the pole just as Todd went down the last time. His cap was still floating on the water. The alarm was soon given and in a little while a large searching party was on the scene. The ice was broken, the creek dredged, but as the night was cold with no light except lanterns, the search was ineffectual and was abandoned about nine o'clock.

The search was renewed Wednesday morning. Messrs. J. D. Bradley and O. M. Thomas went out in a boat, and tying four hooks on a long line began dragging. It was soon found that one of the hooks had taken hold of something. On drawing in the line it was ascertained that the body had been found and the hook had caught in the right trouser leg.

It was taken at once to the undertaking establishment of Mr. Joe W. Mock, where it was prepared for burial, and was taken to Richmond Thursday morning, leaving here on the 9:45 train, where it was buried Thursday afternoon.

Mr. Todd was a native of Madison county and has resided in and around Millersburg for the past two years. For a time he resided with his sister, Mrs. Arthur Rigg, until the family moved to the country. For several months he has been in the employ of J. E. Mann.

Mr. J. H. Sheptaugh has returned after touring Colorado for a month.

If you want a nice doll you can get it at 13 2t VIMONT'S.

Messrs. J. M. Batterton and Vimont Lyle, of New York City, age guests of their aunt, Mrs. Sue Sandusky.

We have a nice line of fancy candy in boxes. See them before you buy. 13 2t LOUIS VIMONT.

Miss Louise Warford, of Campbell-Rigerman college, Lexington, is at home for the Christmas holidays.

Don't fail to see our Christmas window before the best is gone. 13 4t AARON MC CONNELL.

Miss Fannie Burroughs will entertain a number of friends Monday evening at six o'clock.

Our floors are crowded with Christmas goods. Open at nights. JOE W. MOCK.

Miss Mary McDaniel, who is teaching near Lexington, will arrive Saturday for the Christmas holidays.

We have a large line of queensware and Louise cut glass. Price right. 13 2t LOUIS VIMONT.

Messrs. Ernest and Chas. Fisher are at home from Henry & Emery College, Va., for the Christmas holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Alverson, of Frankfort, will arrive Friday as the guest of her father, Mr. J. G. Allen and family.

I am prepared to do your engraving in Old English, Script or any style designed. 13 4t AARON MC CONNELL.

Miss Dorothy Peed, who is teaching in the graded schools at Birmingham, Ala., will arrive Saturday for the Christmas holidays.

The M. M. I. closed for the Christmas holidays Thursday. Most of the student body left Friday for their homes. Both M. M. I. and M. F. C. will reopen on January 3.

Mrs. Richard Lyle Buffington, of Huntington, W. Va., arrived Monday to spend the Christmas holidays with her sister, Mrs. W. M. Miller. Mr. Buffington will arrive this evening.

Miss Bessie Purnell, who is teaching in the graded schools at Paris, is with her mother and sister, Mrs. Martha Purnell and Miss Mary Agnes, for the Christmas holidays.

Messrs. Clark Leer, A. J. Thaxton and Carrollton Ball are at home from Kentucky State University, Lexington, are at home for the Christmas holidays.

The M. F. C. closed Wednesday afternoon for the Christmas holidays. Most of the young ladies left on the afternoon trains and the early trains Thursday morning. Some few left Wednesday morning.

Amity Lodge No. 40, F. & A. M., will hold its annual election Tuesday evening, December 27. All members are urged to be present. After the election oysters will be served in the

dining hall of the temple, after which a smoker will be enjoyed, interspersed by several short addresses. The following program has been arranged: J. B. Cray, toastmaster; subjects, "The University of Masonry," Rev. T. W. Watts, "The Duty of the Lodge to its Sick and Destitute," O. R. Rankin, "The Little Things that Count," M. P. Collier, "The Goat," W. V. Shaw, "Hanging Lemons," R. M. Caldwell.

Make a useful Christmas present this year such as a pocket knife, baking dish, coal vase, set of carvers, Rogers' table knives and forks, bugle robes and other articles at The Hardware Store. These will give all year's pleasure.

Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Hurst, of Elizabethtown, will arrive today to spend the Christmas holidays with their sisters, Mesdames Elizabeth Stirman and S. H. Endicott. Miss Judith Beeding, of Cincinnati another sister, will also arrive.

While you are enjoying the pleasure of giving, make us happy by paying over your account which has been due since last January.

23 31 SMITH & WADELL.

Mr. A. T. Moffitt and family, Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Clarke accompanied by their brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Clarke, will spend a portion of the Christmas holidays, including Christmas day with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Clark, at Sharpsburg.

Best line of watches, charms, lockets, tie and beauty pins, brooches, cuff and collar buttons, rings, bracelets, souvenir spoons, ever shown in Millersburg and cannot be duplicated elsewhere.

13 4t AARON MC CONNELL.

Irwin Taylor, of Rochester, N. Y., was guest of his daughter, Mrs. R. S. Sanders, from Saturday until Monday, leaving on that day, accompanied by his daughter, Miss Mary Bell Taylor, who has been in the Sanders home for several weeks, for Florida, where they will spend the winter.

If you would pay us your account which has been due since our books were closed since last January you would increase your self-respect and make us feel even more kindly toward the world.

DRS. MILLER & SMITH.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Plummer, of Hazen, Ark., were guests of relatives here Tuesday and Wednesday, going to Paris where they will spend the Christmas holidays. Mrs. Plummer was formerly Miss Lucy Day, and for a time last year was night operator for the Bourbon Home Telephone Company.

Mrs. Ed Boots, aged 27 years died Wednesday at 7 p. m., at her home, of pneumonia. Mrs. Boots has been in failing health since last April, with tuberculosis, but until within the last ten days she has been able to go about the house doing all of her indoor work. Tuesday she seemed to have contracted a deep cold which developed into pneumonia but her condition was not thought to be necessarily critical. About twenty minutes before she died she complained to her husband of feeling cold and numb, saying she could not see. A physician was hastily summoned but she expired before he arrived. Mrs. Boots before marriage was a Miss Martin, and her family resides in Bracken county near Augusta. She is survived by her husband and four small children, ranging in age from three to ten years. Funeral held at 11 o'clock at the residence. Burial in Millersburg cemetery.

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Watch the Window.

Watch my show windows for that Christmas present.

J. T. HINTON.

Dr. Mathers, Dentist.

Try Dr. Mathers, Dentist ten years experience; everything new and up-to-date. Opposite Frank & Co.'s.

Fancy Cheese.

Pineapple, Edam, Pimento and New York cream.

20 2t C. P. COOK & CO.

Just in time for Christmas

Victor-Victrola XI \$100

Victor-Victrola X \$75

Victor-Victrola XIV \$1